

TOGETHER WE SHAPE THE FUTURE

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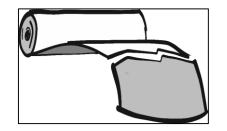
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TRANSFORMING THE COMPANY





- Rationalization of capacity
- Focused capex plan in strategic assets
- Internationalization .
- Deleveraging



higher integration and efficiency

2018-2021 TRANSFORMATION PLAN

Integrating the Pan-European asset base and recent acquisitions

La Rochette – 2016 PAC Service - 2017

Barcelona Cartonboard – 2018

through a portfolio of value-added initiatives to achieve goals as a One Company.

Strategically transforming the cost structure

OPERATING UNDER THE 'MULTI-MILL' CONCEPT



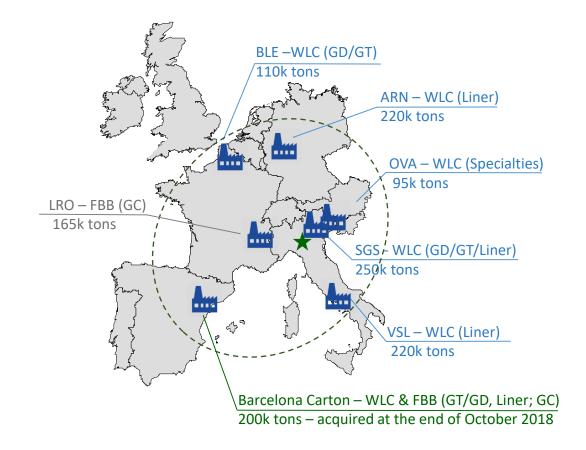
Benefits Higher interchangeability Specific types of RDM cartonboard Flexibility in operations can be produced in multiple mills Timeliness in delivery Multi-Country' 'Multi-Mill' asset base concept 'One Company IT tools culture ✓ Balancing the **availability of finished** Mitigating market volatility that may arise from changes in: products at the individual plant ✓ Minimizing **risks** demand across markets Ensuring greater proximity to customers tons produced across assets and Security of Supply

A PANEUROPEAN ASSET BASE



Total production capacity 1.26 M tons/y

Four assets with capacity over 200 k tons/y





Santa Giustina plant

WLC White Lined Chipboard Based on **recycled fibers**

No. of mills: 6 Production capacity: **1.1 mn** tons/p.a. equal to **87%**

FBB

Folding Boxboard Based on **virgin fibers**

No. of mills: 1 Production capacity: **0.165 mn** tons/p.a. equal to **13%**

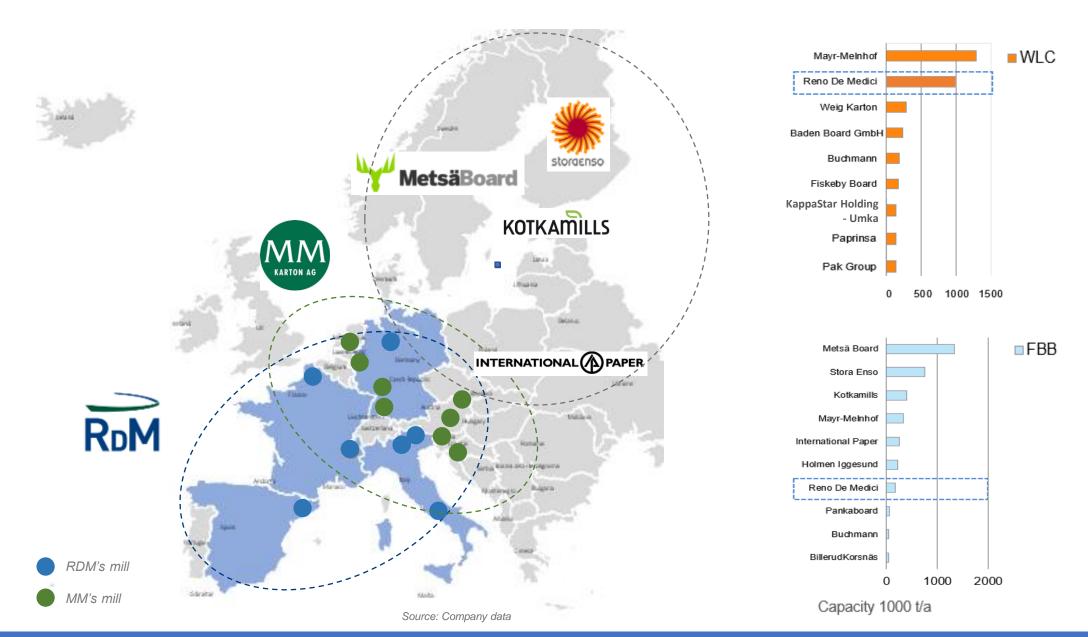
Headquarters in Milan



Mill

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LEADING PRODUCERS IN EUROPE



BENEFITS FROM TRANSFORMATION



OUTCOME FROM THE THREE-YEAR PLAN

RESILIENCE

in operational performance in consolidated EBITDA margin

SPEED

in capturing signals and promptly turning them into:

- 1. Better solutions for the client
- 2. Higher margins for the Company

COVID-19 OUTBREAK, AFTER THREE YEARS OF WORK...







A system of rules in place

Acceleration in decision-making

Clear tasks

... PROVED THE RESILIENCE and SUCCESS ACHIEVED

FROM 2021 ONWARDS, MOVING TOWARD CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT APPROACH



Capitalizing on

A maintained portfolio of focused initiatives An established network of teams and committees A plan-ahead attitude gained An evolved management of operations A more sophisticated demand/supply integration and optimization



To improve further

Optimization of sourcing and procurement

Management of operations, unlocking growth and reducing costs per ton

Exploitation of new recipes and energy efficiency solutions

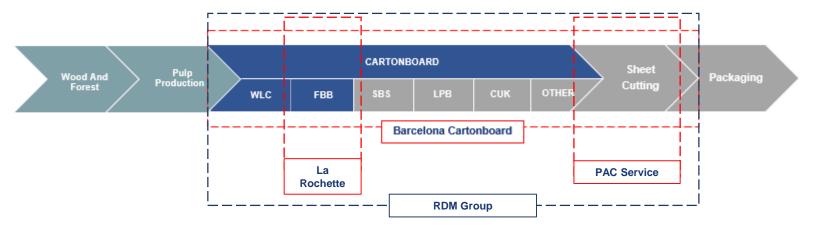
Optimization of price-mix

Completion of Barcelona Cartonboard integration Accelerate Innovation of sustainable products and digitalization of manufacturing and service processes





Value Chain Positioning of acquired companies:









Based in Spain (Barcelona), the company is producing recycled Cartonboard (WLC) and if needed also virgin board (FBB), serving the packaging industry in Spain and abroad.

The acquisition is effective as of 31 Oct. 2018.

Based in Italy, the company operates in the sheet cutting business. RDM has long been a strategic supplier of PAC Service. The acquisition is effective as of 1 Jan. 2018.

Based in the South of France, the company (La Rochette mill) is involved in the production of Cartonboard from virgin fibers (FBB). The acquisition is effective as of 30 June 2016.



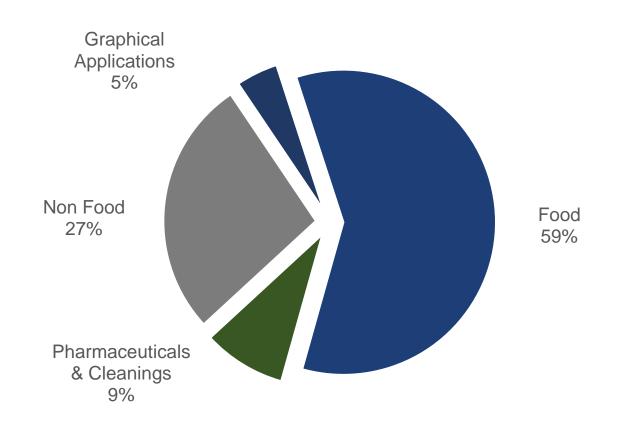


RECYCLED FIBRES (WLC) VIRGIN FIBRES (FBB) Price Printability Eco friendly image **Bulk & Stiffness** VIRGIN BOARD (GC) LINER RECYCLED BOARD (GD) **SPECIALTIES** Hardware Pharmaceuticals Sport/toys Textile / shoes Software Food Beauty & Health care Paper Goods Display Food Detergents Microflute laminate Retail Beverage Bakery Overall economic trend along with specific drivers: **Overall economic trend** Brand recognition Brand recognition Luxury package Brand recognition E-commerce Microcorrugated Changes in lifestyles Growing market (+11% from 2015 Plastic substitution Care for planet to 2018) Changes in lifestyles Barilla FUSILLI ermina"





Source: RDM internal analysis on 2020 data.



Value of fiber-based packaging recognized by governments, retailers and consumers during Covid-19 emergency.

NURTURING AND LEVERAGING CLIENT LOYALTY



1,400+ CLIENTS . **Converters and Distributors** Fifth customer survey conducted over **R**_D**M** the 7 March - 2 April 2020 period, in **DSSmith**Packaging 43 EMEA markets. **R**PACKAGING Smurfit Kappa antalis All-time highest response rate Highest RDM Group score rating **CLIENT TOP PRIORITY** Feedback revealing the best ratio of positive-to-negative comments ever Security of supply recorded **RDM GROUP PERCEIVED AS** a reliable partner, being a European large WLC producer

RDM GROUP APPRECIATED FOR ITS

Quality Customer service Diversified portfolio Responsiveness Deliveries / Lead times Findings from the last CUSTOMER SURVEY also prove professional handling of an unprecedented situation

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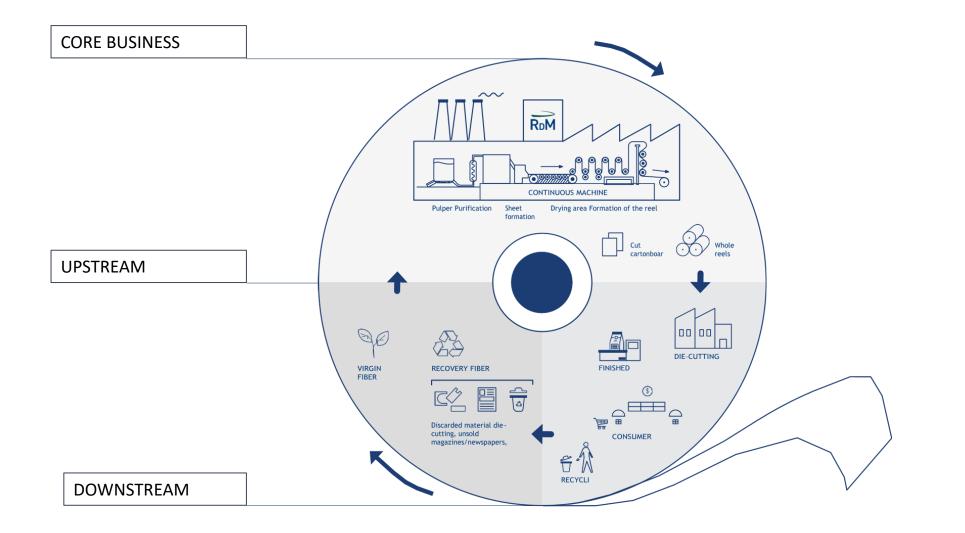


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OUR BUSINESS MODEL



A truly sustainable player with a CIRCULAR ECONOMY vision

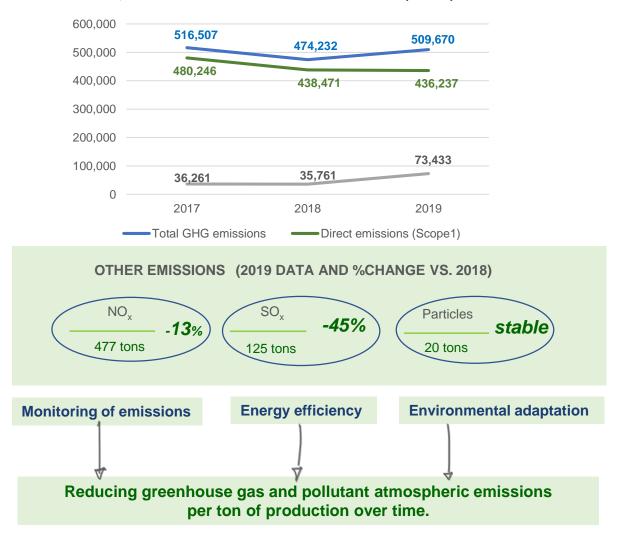


REDUCING GHG EMISSIONS



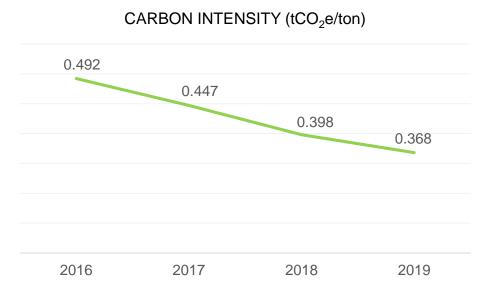


TOTAL, DIRECT AND INDIRECT GHG EMISSIONS (tCO2e)



MINIMIZING CARBON AND ENERGY INTENSITY IN PRODUCTION PROCESSES





Emissions in tCO2e per metric ton of gross production

Data exclude RDM Barcelona Cartonboard's natural gas consumption to produce electricity for the grid.

-7.5%

2019 VS. 2018

Electricity produced by cogeneration plants is not included to avoid double counting. **Coal reduction (-26.4%)** reflects the first-stage benefits of the energy transition project underway at the **Arnsberg mill**.

CARBON INTENSITY (tCO₂e/ton)

-25%

2019 VS. 2016





All the Group's production units 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 Unit of measure: energy consumption in MWh per ton of gross production

ENERGY INTENSITY (MWh/ton)

2017



Biomass

-7%

2018

2019 VS. 2016

-19%

2016

2019 VS. 2018



2019

RnM

COMMITED TO REDUCE WATER USAGE

91% of the water consumption returns Through recovery of process water and reusing water in several production cycles. to the environment after purification WATER WITHDRAWALS PER TON OF VOLUMES OF DISCHARGED WATER (m³) PRODUCTION (m³/ton) 20,000,000 18,163,957 25 16,667,539 19.39 19.25 20 15,000,000 The remaining share evaporates 13.98 13,168,020 15 or is incorporated 10,000,000 in the cartonboard. 10 5,000,000 3,491,003 5 4,435,942 3,233,670 0 0 2017 2018 2019 2017 2018 2019 All the Group's production units / 2017, 2018, 2019

Unit of measure: Cubic meters per ton of gross production (including water withdrawal for plant cooling)

MINIMIZING WASTE SENT TO LANDFILL



Our priority

Minimizing waste and maximizing the use of fiber raw materials.

From 20% to 5%

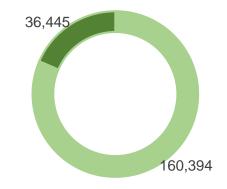
the fiber reduction in the rejects of production process, deriving from reject washing machines installed in the Italian mills

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A full 99.8% of the total waste produced by the Group is non-hazardous and mainly consists of plastics, glass, sand and metals.



2019 WASTE (tons)



■Waste sent for recovery - 81% ■Waste sent for disposal - 19%

Circular economy system is for RDM Group "naturally" core. Recycling and reusing resources is par of every-day manufacturing life



Majority of RDM Group mills have waste management systems also certified according to ISO 14001 standard

Two mills are also certified according to the "Eco-Management and Audit Scheme" (EMAS)

PRODUCT INNOVATION MEETS ENVIRONMENTALLY FRIENDLY DEMAND



Market TRENDS

Major Brands and Retailers

Requiring packaging with lower environmental impact

Switching to recycled-based packaging

Needing high-quality packaging to convey brand image and protect goods sold through more complex supply chains like e-Comm shopping

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The world of packaging is going through a period of intense change that RDM Group sees as an opportunity to innovate, with a clear focus on sustainability. Quality Safety

Sustainability

INNOVATION



Focusing on raw materials that are **re-usable, renewable or recyclable.**

Developing **new fiber-based multi-material products** coupled with renewable barrier solutions (**biodegradability** being the core feature).

Barrier solutions that create a layer of protection between the structure made of fibre-based material and the contained product, while maintaining its recyclability



4Ever Green Alliance (40+ European companies)

Initiative that promotes the use of **fiber-based packaging material** to foster **sustainability through circular economy**. Supporting the development of:

- new packaging solutions though innovation and product design
- appropriate infrastructure and collection systems

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Q1 2020 AT A GLANCE



Prompt reaction to Covid-19 outbreak Multi-mill organization up and running

Business continuity

Strong 2020 demand momentum

driving volumes

High customer sensitivity on selling prices

continuing as experienced in H2 2019

Solid RDM Group market position

resulting in volumes that outperformed the pace of market growth

Broadly stable sales revenues in spite of VSL mill 25 days stop (-0.6% vs. Q1 2019)

Efficiency and synergy plan

providing effective and resilient cost control.

Barcelona Cartonboard integration

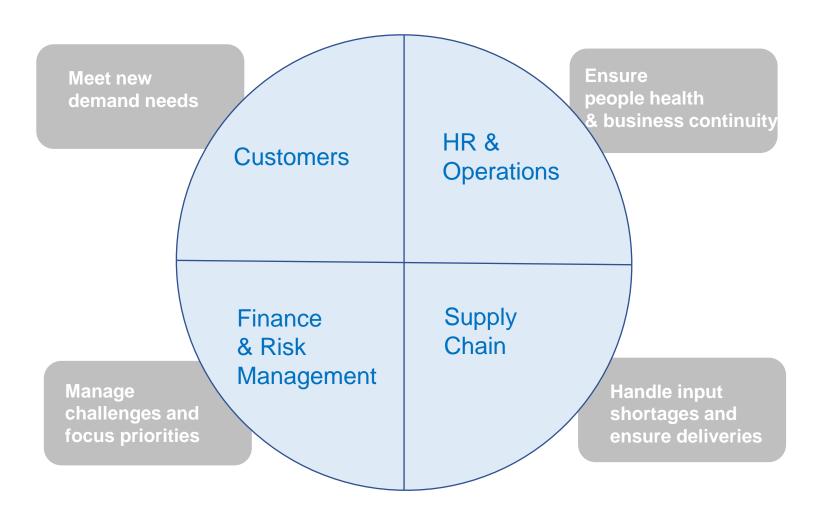
reinforcing the manufacturing multi-mill system

Input costs

supporting better spread

EBITDA margin at 11.0% (vs. 10.4% in Q1 2019)





FINAL REMARKS



TOP OF OUR CURRENT AGENDA

- ✓ Assessing the impacts of multiple business scenarios to be prepared to react properly
- ✓ Right sizing controllable costs
- $\checkmark\,$ Interpreting the 'new normal' scenario
- ✓ Remaining a forward-looking Company

EMERGING EXTERNAL PATTERNS

- Greener UE agenda, underpinned by huge budget
- Digitalization challenge
- Growth of home delivery shopping and pickup in store

IMPACTS ON OUR BUSINESS

- Increased demand for packaging that ensures protection to purchased goods
- Preference for light and non-plastic packaging

We will leverage on

Encouraging mega-trends supporting demand

Established track record of sound financial performance

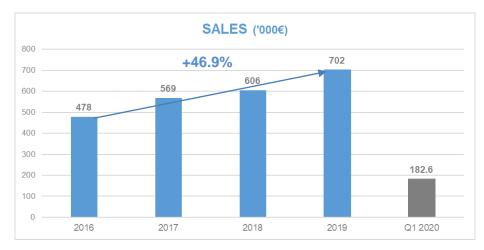
Proven **resilience** to external shocks

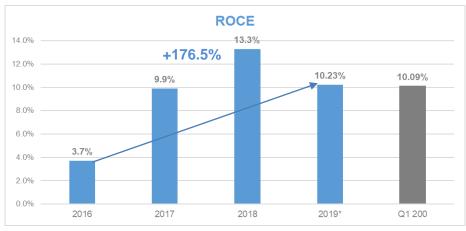
An unlevered balance sheet

to continue to generate CASH FLOW deployable for **strategic investments.**

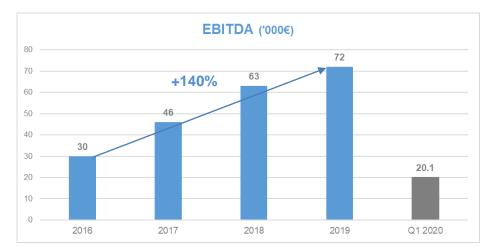


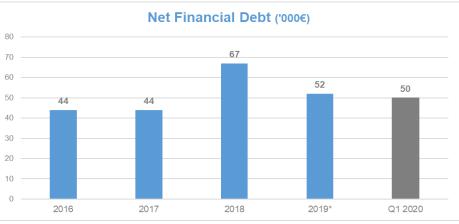
HIGHLIGHTS





*2019 ROCE included the write-down of the fixed assets of La Rochette mill for €9.5m. Without this write-down, ROCE would have been 13%.

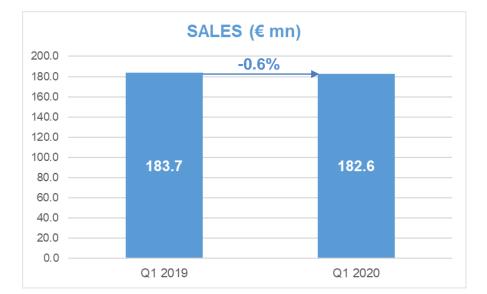


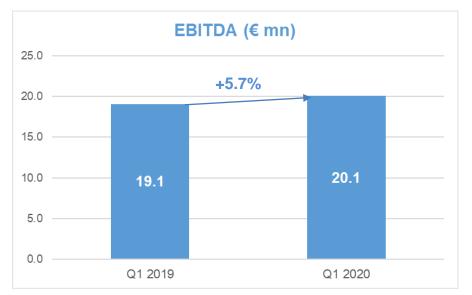


*Net Debt as 31 December 2019 includes €12.5m liabilities due to the adoption of the new IFRS 16 "Leases".

SALES AND EBITDA







The **slight decrease in SALES** (-0.6%) is due to :

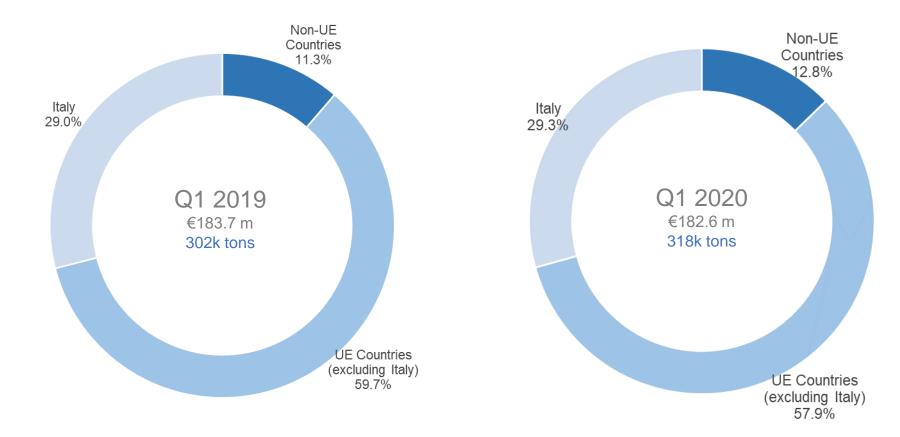
- + Increase in tons sold, both in WLC (+4.9%) and FBB (9.2%);
- Reductions in selling prices, mainly in WCL compared to Q1 2019;
- Temporary stoppage of production in Villa Santa Lucia plant - from 7 February to 1 March - following the seizure of the municipal consortium's wastewater treatment plant.

Higher EBITDA margin (11% in Q1 2020 compared to 10.4% in Q1 2019) reflects the following drivers:

- Slight decrease in SALES (-0.6%);
- + Lower costs of fibers reflecting lower prices and greater efficiency in their use;
- + Decline in energy costs compared with Q1 2019.

SALES BY GEOGRAPHY



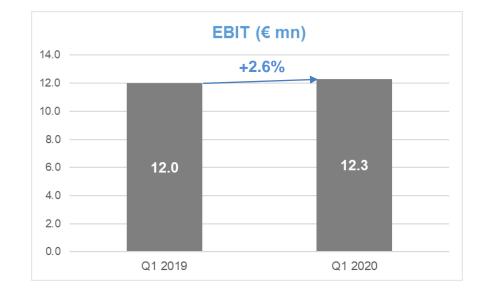


Sales reflects different mix in terms of volume and selling prices.

EBIT AND NET PROFIT

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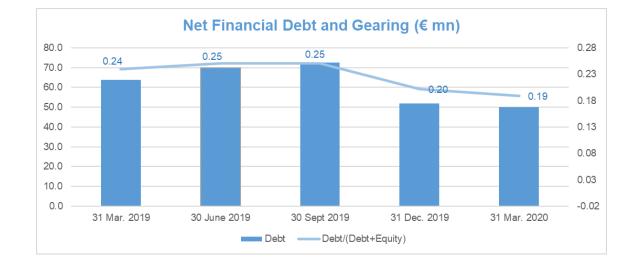


NET PROFIT (€ mn) 10.0 +18% 9.0 8.0 7.0 6.0 5.0 9.4 4.0 7.9 3.0 2.0 1.0 0.0 Q1 2019 Q1 2020 The low increase in EBIT (+2.6%) mainly reflects the increase in EBITDA, partially offset by higher D&A costs than those of 2019 (€7.9m in Q1 2020 vs €7.1m in Q1 2019).

Q1 2020 Net Profit increase (€1.5m vs. Q1 2019) combines the impact of higher EBIT (€0.3m vs. Q1 2019) with: a €0.9m decrease in financial + expenses vs. Q1 2019; lower tax rate (24.4% vs. 28.8% in Q1 2019).

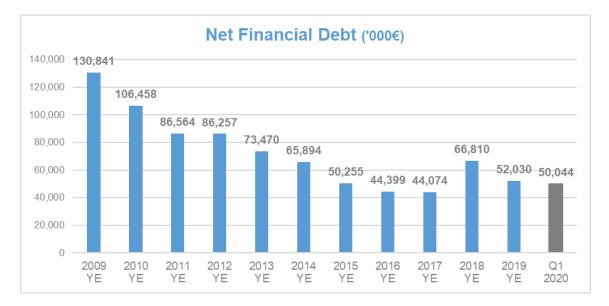
LOW GEARING RATIO





Decrease in NFD in Q1 2020 (from €52m at December 31, 2019 to €50m at March 31, 2020).

In Q1 2020 **capital expenditure** amounted to $\textbf{\in 2.6m}$ compared with $\textbf{\in 4.8m}$ in Q1 2019.



Over the 2016-2018 period, RDM made three acquisitions for a total amount of €77 m.

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RDM AND THE STOCK EXCHANGE

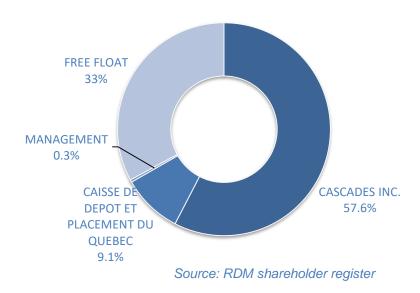


Share Capital: 140,000,000.00 €

Outstanding shares: 377,800,994, o/w 377,546,253 ordinary shares 254,741 convertible savings shares

Conversion period: in February and September, each year

Main shareholders



Listing markets

Milan Stock Exchange – MTA (STAR segment) Madrid Stock Exchange

Codes

Bloomberg: RM IM; Reuters: RDM.MI ISIN: IT0001178299

Mkt cap: 255.9 € mn Free float mkt cap: 84.5 € mn (@0.677 € p.s. as of 19 June 2020)

FY2019 dividend

ORDINARY SHARE: Dividend of 0.8 € cents (FY2018 dividend was 0.7 € cents)

Payment date: 13 May 2020

Dividend yield: 1.0% (@YE2019 price of 0.823 €)

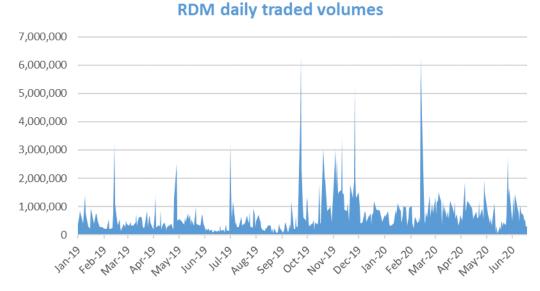
SHARE PERFORMANCE





RDM vs. FTSE Italy All-Share Index (base: 2 Jan. 2019=100)





Average daily traded volumes

Q1 2020: 849,784

1 April 2020 – 19 June 2020: 779,060

ANALYST COVERAGE



BROKER	CITY	ANALYST	TARGET PRICE (€)	RECOMMENDATION	DATE
Intermonte	Milan - IT	Carlo Maritano	1.00	OUTPERFORM	26 May 2020
MidCap Partners	Paris - FR	Pierre Buon	0.83	BUY	30 April 2020

BOARD OF DIRECTORS



Board reconfirmed on 29 April 2020. Term of office: 3 financial years. The CEO is the only executive member of the Board.



Eric Laflamme, Chairman

Entrepreneur (packaging business) since 2013. COO of Cascades Group in Montreal (2002-2008). Previously at Cascades SA Europe.



Michele Bianchi, CEO

Chemical engineer, with more than 19 years of experience in the European packaging industry.



Laura Guazzoni, Independent Director

Chartered accountant and business consultant. Bocconi University professor.



Sara Rizzon, Director

Lawyer at the Jones Day Milan office. Expert in M&A and corporate compliance



Gloria F. Marino, Independent Director

Chartered accountant and statutory auditor.

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Allan Hogg, Director

CFO of Cascades Group since 2010 – Bachelor's Business Administration in Accounting.



Giulio Antonello, Independent Director

In the past, investment banker and CEO of a listed Company. Presently, strategic advisor in the asset management field.

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Thank you!